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SUBJECT: NATIONAL WAGE GUIDELINES SIGNED

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1. AS PREDICTED IN REFERENCE, NATIONAL TRADE UNION LEADERS AND INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION REPRESENTATIVES RESOLVED THEIR WAGE NEGOTIATION DIFFERENCES ON SEPT. 13 AFTER ALL NIGHT SESSION. AGREEMENT ASKS THAT ALL EMPLOYERS AND WORKERS BOTH UNION AND NON-UNION SETTLE INDIVIDUAL WAGE CONTRACTS AT 22 PERCENT RETROACTIVE TO SEPT. 1 FOR THOSE WHO EARN UP TO DOLS 5000 PESOS A MONTH. THOSE EARNING MORE THAN DOLS 5000 PESOS MONTHLY WILL RECEIVE NO MORE THAN DOLS 1100 PESOS MONTHLY OR DOLS 36.66 PESOS DAILY. WORKERS WHO RECEIVED WAGE INCREASES UNDER COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENTS SIGNED AFTER MAY 1, 1974 WILL HAVE THEIR RAISE PRORATED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT PREVIOUSLY RECEIVED. COLLECTIVE CONTRACTS SIGNED BEFORE MAY 1 THAT INCLUDED WAGE INCREASES ARE NOT SPECIFICALLY EXCLUDED FOR O# OBLIGATION TO PAY THE FULL 22 PERCENT. FEDERAL WORKERS AND MEMBERS OF ARMED FORCES INCLUDED IN WAGE RAISE OF 22 PERCENT ALSO RETROACTIVE TO SEPT 1, 1974.

2. LEFT PENDING ARE MANY THOUSAND OF LEGAL STRIKE

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NOTICES WHICH COULD ALLOW INDIVIDUAL UNIONS TO LEGALLY STRIKE

IF THEIR PARTICULAR EMPLOYER REFUSES TO ACCEPT NATIONAL GUIDELINES. MOST EMPLOYERS GRANTED SIMILAR TYPE OF INCREASE SEPT. 1973 AND ARE EXPECTED TO COMPLY AGAIN THIS YEAR WITHOUT STRIKES.

3. SETTLEMENT WILL TEND TO PUSH PRICES UPWARD, BUT NO CONSENSUS YET ON WHAT INFLATIONARY IMPACT MIGHT BE.
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